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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

TAKEDA, Shingo et al.

Group Art Unit: 1711

Serial No.: 09/889,570

Examiner: **Umakant K. Rajguru**

Filed: **July 30, 2001**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 4535

**FOR: WATER-BOURNE URETHANE RESIN
COMPOSITION FOR FORMING MICROPOROUS
LAYER, METHOD OF PRODUCING FIBROUS SHEET-LIKE
COMPOSITE, AND ARTIFICIAL LEATHER**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 20, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **August 20, 2003**, extended to **January 20, 2004** by
a **two (2)** month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as
follows: